App. No. 09/788,300

Amendment under 37 CFR §1.111

REMARKS

Claim 6 has been cancelled in response to Examiner rejection. Claims 9 and 15-46 remain pending in the application. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are respectfully requested.

Examiner has rejected Claim 6 under 35 USC §103 as unpatentable in view of Margalit (US6668006). The rejection is obviated, since Claim 6 has been cancelled without prejudice.

Applicants acknowledge allowance of Claims 9 and 15-46.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance. Issuance of a Notice of Allowance at an early date is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted.

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